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APPLICANTS: Choi et al.

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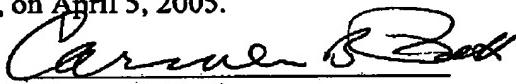
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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile transmission to Commissioner for Patents, Mail Stop Amendment, Group Art Unit 2826, Attention: Edward Joseph Wojciechowicz, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, at fax number (703) 872-9306, on April 5, 2005.



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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

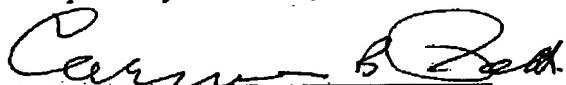
Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2005, in connection with the above-designated application. A response to the Office Action is due April 23, 2005. Therefore, this Response is timely filed.

**Election/Restriction**

In response to the request for an election/restriction to one of the inventions required under 35 U.S.C. 121, the applicant elects claims 1-11.

Respectfully submitted,



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